

**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)**

Docket No.
17365

In Re Application Of: **Tsukasa Kobayashi**

MAR 21 2005

Application No. 47187
TRADEMARKS
10/760,058

Filing Date
January 16, 2004

Examiner

Customer No.
23389

**Group Art Unit
3731**

Confirmation

Invention: CLIP DEVICE FOR HOLDING TISSUE

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 9/17/2004 in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

<input type="checkbox"/> One month	<input type="checkbox"/> Two months	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months	<input type="checkbox"/> Four months	<input type="checkbox"/> Five months
from: <u>12/17/2004</u> <i>Date</i>	until: <u>3/17/2005</u> <i>Date</i>			

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	21 -	20 =	1	x \$50.00	\$50.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	2 -	3 =	0	x \$200.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$50.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$1,020.00
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$1,070.00

03/22/2005 BABRAHAI 00000148 10760058

01 UC:1253

1020.00 0P

**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)**

Docket No.

17365

The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

A check in the amount of **\$1,070.00** for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.

Please charge Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of _____

The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. **19-1013/SSMP**

- Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **19-1013/SSMP** .

Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.



Signature

Dated: March 17, 2005

**Thomas Spinelli
Registration No.: 39,533**

CC:

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on 3/17/2005.

(Date)



Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence

Thomas Spinelli

Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence